

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/808,553 Confirmation No.: 4926
Applicant : Bryan Vincent *et al.*
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Title : DRILL HEAD FOR USE IN PLACING AN INTERVERTEBRAL
DISC DEVICE
TC/Art Unit : 3733
Examiner: Jerry Cumberledge

Docket No. : MED-017D1
Customer No. : 71998

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.113

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 3, 2007, please amend the application
as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this response; and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response.